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FIELD PROGRAMMABLE NETWORK PROCESSOR AND METHOD FOR

For: CUSTOMIZING A NETWORK PROCESSOR

ASSIGNEE NAME: International Business Machines Corporation

Armonk, New York ASSIGNEE RESIDENCE:

Enclosed are

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